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FM AMEMBASSY ROME
TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 8935
INFO AMEMBASSY BONN
AMCONSUL FLORENCE
AMCONSUL FRANKFURT
AMEMBASSY LONDON
AMCONSUL MILAN

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FRANKFURT ALSO FOR GAO/EDER

E.O. 11652: NA
TAGS: AGAO, EIND, EPAP, IT
SUBJECT: GAO REVIEW "PROMOTION OF PRODUCTIVITY INMANUFACTURING"

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1. EEMBASSY HAS NO OBJECTION TO PLANNED GAO VISIT IN LIGHT OF REFTEL. IN VIEW OF SENSITIVITY OF ISSUES INVOLVING SHOE SECTOR, HOWEVER, EMBASSY HAS CONSULTED WITH MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS (MFA) AND MINISTRY OF FOREIGN TRADE (MFT). MFA HAS NO OBJECTIONS. MFT ADVISED THAT IT HAS NO OBJECTION EITHER BUT THAT AS SHOE INDUSTRY IS ONE OF FEW ITALIAN INDUSTRIES IN PRIVATE HANDS, IT WOULD BE BEST TO OBTAIN THE INDUSTRY ASSOCIATION'S VIEW.

2. MFT CONTACTED THE DIRECTOR GENERAL OF ANCI (SHOE MANUFACTURER'S ASSOCIATION) IN MILAN AND HAS INFORMED THE EMBASSY THAT DIRECTOR GENERAL MERCADEANTE WELCOMES THE GAO VISIT. IN THE MEANTIME, THE EMBASSY SUPPLIED TO THE
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DEPUTY DIRECTOR GENERAL OF ANCI, DR. GIORGIO AQUILINA, QUESTIONS AND ISSUES MENTIONED REFTEL.

3. AS THE INDUSTRY IS TOTALLY IN PRIVATE HANDS AND AS ITALIAN GOVERNMENT POLICY INVOLVEMENT APPEARS TO BE MINIMAL (E. G. NO COMPREHENSIVE SECTORAL INCENTIVE PROGRAM),

EMBASSY BEIVES ALL OR VIRTUALLY ALL QUESTIONS POSED
REFTEL CAN BEST BE ANSWERED BY ANCI AND SHOE INDUSTRIALISTS
IN MILAN AREA. WE SUGGEST MR. PEET PLAN TO GO DIRECTLY
TO MILAN ON DEC 14 AND THAT HE BE ACCOMPANIED ON HIS CALLS
BY AMCONSUL MILAN ECON/COMMERCIAL OFFIER. SHOULD IMPORTANT
QUESTIONS REMAIN OUTSTANDING, HE COULD THEN COME TO ROME
IN EFFORT TO GET ANSWERS.GARDNER

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